IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES

Appellant:
Beka SOLOMON
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SUPPLEMENT TO REQUEST FOR CONSOLIDATION OF ORAL HEARINGS

Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences United States Patent and Trademark Office P.O. BOX 1450 Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

Sir:

On February 17, 2012, appellant filed a Renewed Request for Consolidation of Oral Hearings, requesting that the oral hearing in the above-identified appeal be combined or consolidated with the oral hearing in appeal no. 2012-002100, which appeal is in a divisional reissue application with many overlapping issues with the present appeal. The present communication is intended to supplement the previously filed request so as to bring to the attention of the Board the current travel schedule of the undersigned.

In view of the fact that no further postponements will be permitted, it is respectfully requested that the Board take into consideration the following travel schedule

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for the undersigned attorney in charge of both appeals. The undersigned will be out of town or otherwise unavailable for a hearing from July 2, 2012, through July 24, 2012, and on August 20-27, 2012. It is respectfully requested that the rescheduled, and, if this request is granted, combined oral hearings be scheduled for a date other than those listed above.

Please further take note that both of these appeals are in reissue applications and, pursuant to 37 CFR 1.176 and MPEP 1442, are to be treated as special cases that are advanced out of turn for examination, presumably including appeal.

Respectfully submitted,

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